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Senate Resolution 835

By: Senators Douglas of the 17th, Cagle of the 49th, Johnson of the 1st, Williams of the 19th, Hill of the 4th and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Georgia National Guard, Company C, 1st Battalion, 121st Infantry
- 2 Regiment, 48th Infantry Brigade; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, members of the Georgia National Guard's Company C, 1st Battalion, 121st
- 4 Infantry Regiment, 48th Infantry Brigade are engaged in combat operations in some of the
- 5 most dangerous places in Baghdad; and
- 6 WHEREAS, while searching for insurgents, the unit discovered Baby Noor, a
- 7 three-month-old baby suffering from spina bifida and needing a lifesaving operation; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Captain Anthony Fournier, commander of Company C, and his soldiers brought
- 9 the story of Baby Noor to public attention and broke through the bureaucratic and
- 10 administrative barriers to arrange transportation and medical care for the child; and
- 11 WHEREAS, through the efforts of First Lieutenant Jeff Morgan, Childspring International
- 12 and Children's Healthcare of Atlanta volunteered to provide transportation and the lifesaving
- 13 surgery; and
- WHEREAS, after successful surgery, Baby Noor is expected to live a long and happy life;
- 15 and
- 16 WHEREAS, in the midst of battle, the citizen-soldiers of Company C and the 48th Infantry
- 17 Brigade are accomplishing their mission of winning the hearts and minds of the people of
- 18 Iraq and have shown the nation and the world the compassion and concern of Georgians and
- 19 Americans.

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1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body

- 2 commend the Georgia National Guard, Company C, 1st Battalion, 121st Infantry Regiment,
- 3 48th Infantry Brigade for their distinguished service and humanitarian efforts.
- 4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 5 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Georgia National Guard, Company
- 6 C, 1st Battalion, 121st Infantry Regiment, 48th Infantry Brigade.